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APPLICANT: David Beard et al.

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One Echo Train to Correct Ringing
in Second to Avoid Use of Phase
Alternated Pair in the Second"

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF 1 JANUARY 2006

This is in response to the office action of 1 January 2006. No claim amendments are being made. Remarks, based on a telephone conference with the Examiner, start on page 2 of this document. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested in view of the remarks below.